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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Martin Birk et al.

U.S. Serial No.: 09/916,652

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For: **SYSTEM FOR FLEXIBLE** 

MULTIPLE BROADCAST SERVICE

DELIVERY OVER A WDM-PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK

**BASED ON RF BLOCK-**

CONVERSION OF RF SERVICE BANDS WITHIN WAVELENGTH

**BANDS** 

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. A petition for a one-month extension of time to extend the time to respond until June 7, 2005 is being filed herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.